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Attorney Docket No. 1843.1001 **Application Number** 10/520,629 REPLY/AMENDMENT December 30, 2005 Filing Date FEE TRANSMITTAL Masaaki ARAMAKI et al. First Named Inventor 1796 Group Art Unit SZEKELY, PETER A AMOUNT ENCLOSED 0.00 **Examiner Name** FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 09/30/07) Highest Number Number CLAIMS AS Claims Remaining AMENDED Previously Paid For Extra After Amendment Rate Calculations TOTAL CLAIMS 0 X \$ 50.00 =0.00 20 = 16 INDEPENDENT 3 = 0 X \$ 210.00 =0.00 CLAIMS Since an Official Action set an original due date of August 12, 2008, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$460)); (3 months (\$1,050)); (4 months (\$1,640)); (5 months (\$2,230): If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$510.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) \$ 0.00 Total of above Calculations = Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) 0.00 TOTAL FEES DUE = (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". METHOD OF PAYMENT Check enclosed as payment. Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. Ø No payment is enclosed. **GENERAL AUTHORIZATION** If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit X any-overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935 STAAS & HALSEY LLP Deposit Account Name The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under \boxtimes 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application. SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 12, 2008, and having a period for response set to expire on August 12, 2008.

Amendments to the claims are provided under the heading <u>Listing of the Claims</u> beginning at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.